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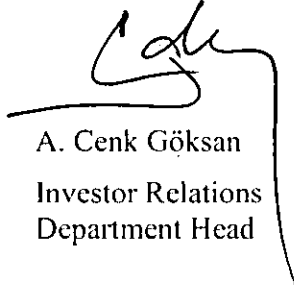
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Dear Sir or Madam:

The enclosed information is being furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") on behalf of Akbank T.A.S. (the "Company") pursuant to the exemption from the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the "Act") afforded by Rule 12g3-2(b) thereunder.

This information is being furnished under paragraph (1) of Rule 12g3-2(b) with the understanding that such information and documents will not be deemed to be "filed" with the SEC or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Act and that neither this letter nor the furnishing of such information and documents shall constitute an admission for any purpose that the Company is subject to the Act.

Very truly yours,


A. Cenk Göksan
Investor Relations
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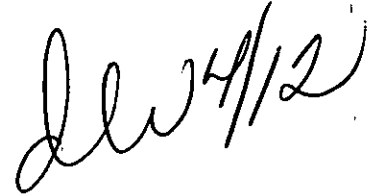

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Akbank Bonus Capital Increase

In its meeting on 09.04.2007 the Board of Directors of Akbank decided on the following issues:

1) TRY 600,000,000 equal to 25% of the paid in capital of the Bank, will be distributed to the shareholders as bonus shares of which, TRY 296,002,659.76 from extraordinary reserves, TRY 7,994,680.48 from gains from sale of fixed assets and subsidiaries and TRY 296,002,659.76 from inflation adjustment differences in other reserves.

2) Shares with series number 25 that will represent TRY 600,000,000 increase in paid-in capital will be distributed to the shareholders with respect to their shareholding in the paid-in capital, through the registry.

3) The distribution of the new shares to the Bank's registered shareholders will be done by the Central Registry Agency (CRA). Unregistered and physically circulating share bearers - with series number 12,13,14,15,16,17,18,19,21,22 - will have to present the share coupon series number 26 to the CRA in order to be eligible to take their new shares under CRA's registration.

4) Akbank Head Office has been empowered in connection to the above mentioned issues.

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